

MARKETS NOW TEMPT THE CHRISTMAS BUYER

Dealers, Expecting Heavy Sales, Arrange Stalls Attractively for Holiday Season.

Eggs Rise in Price, Due to Cold Snap, Dealers Assure—Poultry Is Plentiful.

Christmas is in the air in the markets of the city, and while dealers look for no heavy Christmas buying until the middle of the coming week they are arranging their benches in an attractive manner. Fruits, nuts, cakes, poultry and other good things that go to make up the menu for the Christmas table are displayed most temptingly. Poultry benches are piled high with turkeys, ducks, chickens, geese, and wild ducks, birds, rabbits and squirrels are also displayed. Florists have on display beautiful Christmas wreaths and along the B street line, outside the market, wreaths of punning pine, with bright red holly berries in them, are to be seen.

The important change to be noted in prices today is that on eggs. The cold snap, the dealers assure, have made strictly fresh eggs very scarce, and as a consequence eggs, warm from under the hen, have jumped to 60 cents a dozen, while southern eggs, which last week sold as low as 25 cents a dozen, are today quoted as high as 40 cents a dozen.

The general opinion of the poultry dealers in the market seems to be that prices on turkeys for Christmas will range from about 22 to 28 cents a pound, the latter price being for extra choice birds, the ordinarily good ones selling at about 25 cents. So far the supply of turkeys has been good and the dealers look for good supplies the coming week.

In the meat market the trend of prices is lamb, veal, pork roasts and chops and smoked ham is lower. On other meats prices remain unchanged. Florida strawberries have appeared in the market, but are selling at prices out of the reach of the moderately filled pocketbook. Basket grapes, alligator pears and home grown pears have practically disappeared from the benches, but no changes are to be noted in fruit prices.

Prevailing Market Prices. Prices noted below are those prevailing in the big markets of the city, and those who visit them tomorrow will find quotations ranging about the same:

EGGS.
Heavy, 50c to 60c doz. (Southern, 35c to 40c doz. Gathered, 40c to 50c doz. Storage, 30c to 35c doz.)

POULTRY.
Chickens, 20c to 25c lb. Turkeys, 22c to 25c lb. Hens, \$1.00 pair. Ducks, 20c to 25c lb. Geese, 15c to 18c lb. Oysters, 10c to 15c lb.

GAME.
Wild ducks, 50c to \$1.00 each. Rabbits, 30c to 35c ea.

BUTTER.
Best creamery, 40c to 45c lb. Medium grades, 35c to 40c lb. Resealed, 35c lb.

MEATS.
Lamb, 15c to 25c lb. Beef, roast, 15c to 25c lb. Beef, steak, 12c to 15c lb. Pork chops, 10c to 15c lb. Bacon, sliced, 25c to 30c lb. Pork, roast, 15c to 20c lb.

FISH.
Sea bass, 12c to 15c lb. Halibut, 25c lb. Cod, 12c to 15c lb. Trout, 15c to 20c lb. Salmon, 15c to 20c lb. Oysters, 10c to 15c lb. Spanish mackerel, 15c to 20c lb. Mackerel, 15c to 20c lb. Crabs, 10c to 15c lb. Bluefish, 20c to 25c lb.

PRODUCE.
Irish potatoes, new, 5c to 10c. Sweet potatoes, 40c to 50c pk. Cabbage, 10c to 15c pk. Spinach, 10c to 15c pk. Carrots, 10c to 15c pk. Onions, 10c to 15c pk. Beans, 10c to 15c pk. Peas, 10c to 15c pk. Corn, 10c to 15c pk. Apples, 10c to 15c pk. Oranges, 10c to 15c pk. Lemons, 10c to 15c pk. Tangerines, 10c to 15c pk. Pineapples, 10c to 15c pk. Grapes (Calif.), 10c to 15c pk. Strawberries (Fla.), 10c to 15c pk. Raspberries (Fla.), 10c to 15c pk. Blackberries (Fla.), 10c to 15c pk.

FROZEN FISH ON SALE.
Part of Supply Comes From Pacific. Prices at Market.

Receipts of green fish have been very light on the wholesale fish market at the wharf for the past week, and the dealers, in order to meet the fairly good demand, have brought in quantities of the frozen stock. Not only have the freezers on the Atlantic coast been drawn upon for supplies, but salmon, halibut and other fish are being shipped to this market from the Pacific. Some few salmon trout are being received from the coast, and the river and bay fisheries are furnishing small quantities of bass, rock, perch and catfish.

The demand this morning was good, and unfrozen stock sold about as follows: Salmon trout, 12c to 15c a pound; bass, 12c to 15c a pound; rock, 10c to 12c a pound; white perch, 8c to 12c a pound; carp, 5c to 8c a pound; halibut, 12c to 15c a pound; ling, \$10 a barrel; yellow perch, 20c to 25c a bunch, and catfish, 25c to 40c a bunch.

Prices on frozen stock were as follows: Halibut, 11 cents a pound; salmon, 12 cents a pound; gray trout, 7 cents a pound; butters, 6 cents a pound; croakers, 5 cents a pound; sea bass, 5 cents a pound; whiting, 4 cents a pound; smelts, 13 cents a pound, and pollock, 5 cents a pound. Oysters are selling wholesale at 90 cents to \$1 a gallon, and clams are also on sale at moderate prices.

ACCEPT 'FAIR MARKET VALUE.'
Only Few Property Owners on Square 722 Not Heard From.

Only a few property owners on square 722, included in the proposed extension of the Union station, have not yet accepted acceptance or rejection of the "fair market value" offered them for their parcels of realty by the commission of awards. Acceptances have been received from all property owners who have, so far, indicated to the commission their purposes. Among these acceptances are represented property owners to whom a lower price was offered than that of former awards. Those who are yet to be heard from are property owners who have been offered lower prices and are apparently still considering whether to accept.

The commission is proceeding with investigation to determine "a fair market value" for other properties.

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BRING THIS COUPON
\$1 TOYS
for 55c

This coupon and 55c procures this beautiful Skippmobile, which is sold all over the country at \$1.00. Strongly made and reinforced with steel braces.

On Sale Tomorrow—Third Floor—Boys' Clothing Dept.

Ladies' Neckwear

An Extremely Fine Assortment for Xmas Gifts

A Few Specials for Tomorrow
\$2.25 Ostrich
Collarettes at... **\$1.50**

We just received a shipment of these beautiful Collarettes. They come in plain black, plain white and combinations of black and white. These are some of the newest creations this season. Regular \$2.25 values. Tomorrow...

Windsor Ties; crepe de chine and silk; plain and hemstitched; all colors. Priced at 25c and 50c.

Vestees; oriental lace and batiste, in plain and lace trimmed, 50c to \$3.95.

Collars and Sets, in all the new shapes; lace and batiste; plain or lace trimmed; neatly arranged in boxes for gifts. 50c

Boudoir Caps; white lace trimmed, with pink, blue or lavender ribbon; neatly boxed at 50c to \$2.48.

Store Hours: 8:30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

LANSBURGH & BRO.

Established in 1860

LEADERS THEN LEADERS NOW

Xmas Saving Fund Checks Cashd

Give a Box of Stationery

Our assortment of Box Stationery is very extensive, and comprises everything that is new and up to the minute. The boxes contain correspondence cards, writing paper and envelopes, in all the new shapes.

The boxes are very handsome, and come in any number of pretty shapes. Prices range from 25c to \$2.98 a box.

14-kt. Guaranteed Teed Pen, Special \$1.00

Waterman's Guaranteed Fountain Pens, an excellent assortment from \$2.50 to \$5.50

Brass Desk Novelties and Sets, Ink Stands, Pen Trays, Blotting Pencil Holders, Calendars and Leather or Brass Corner Desk Pads, in a large assortment \$25c up

The Practical Gift UMBRELLAS

For Both Men and Women, Ladies' \$1.50 \$1.10 Umbrellas at

Ladies' American Tafteta Umbrellas, 26-inch paragon steel frame, with sterling trimmed handles.

Men's 28-inch frames, with fancy handles. A good value at \$1.50. Special Ladies' or Men's Silk Gloria Umbrellas, 26 and 28 inch paragon frames, carved or trimmed handles. Our regular \$2.00 value, at... **\$1.50**

Manufacturers' Samples \$2.95

of High-class Umbrellas. Some Worth From \$4.00 to \$5.00.

These are on best paragon frames and covered with best wearing materials; plain, carved and inlaid handles, for both men and women. While the lot lasts, your choice, \$2.95. —First Floor

Gift Suggestions in the Toilet Dept.

Colgate's Gift Box, containing cake toilet soap, bottle toilet water, small can talcum, tooth paste and extract, especially suitable for women and offered, the box, complete 50c

De Vilbiss Atomizers, guaranteed, in colonial design, 75c

Colgate's Toilet Water, nicely boxed, all odors, 25c

Colgate's Perfumes, nicely boxed; all odors, 50c

Hanson & Jenks' Perfumes, boxed; all odors, 50c

Lablache Face Powder; all tints 35c

La Reine Massage Cream 10c

7 rolls of Fine Toilet Tissue 25c

Small vial Mary Garden 25c

10c Wool Puffs, each 7c

Tomorrow---A ONE-HOUR SALE

From 9:30 A.M. to 10:30 A.M.

No Sooner No Later

Women's Coat \$9.66

Suits, Worth Up to \$35, at

There are just 220 Suits in this offering, and the values will well reward you to be here on the stroke of the hour. These Suits will not go on sale until 9:30 (just one hour after store opens), as we want everybody to have a chance of procuring one or more of these wonderful values, and the sale will last just one hour—at 10:30 o'clock should there be any left they will be taken off sale. Not all sizes of any one style, but all sizes from 34 to 55 in the lot. Colors are black, navy, plum, gray, brown and mixtures. Remember they're worth up to \$35.00. Your choice at \$9.66.

On Sale Second Floor—Suit Department.



Christmas Sale of Boys' Clothing

Showing Economies in Boys' Apparel for Gift Giving. Instead of waiting until January to reduce prices on our entire regular stock of Boys' Suits and Overcoats, we do it now, a full month ahead of time, so at this opportune time to give you the benefit of the tremendous savings. Every garment in our stock is included in this clearance movement and tomorrow should prove a record day in our Boys' Shop. Surely the garments and the prices predict it. Your dollars will do double duty here. Sale starts Saturday, 8:30 a.m. Bring the boys here early. Many of the Suits have two pants.

\$3.00 Suits and Overcoats \$1.98

Boys' Suits and Overcoats, in plains and fancies. All sizes and regular \$3 values.

\$6 and \$7 Suits and Overcoats \$3.98

Boys' Suits and Overcoats, including the popular Balmacaan. Many suits have 2 pairs pants.

Boys' Play Suits, in Cowboy or Indian style..... 98c

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Headquarters for Gloves

Make your Gift Selections Here.

Women's 2-clasp Kid Gloves, \$1.50.

Women's French Glace 2-clasp Kid Gloves, in white, black, tan and gray. \$2.00 quality, at... **\$1.50**

Women's 2-clasp Glace Kid Gloves, black, white, tan or gray, also black, with white stitching and white with black stitching. A pair... **\$1.50**

Women's 12-button Kid Gloves; Perrins' make; black only. Pair... **\$3.00**

Women's 16-button Kid Gloves; Perrins' make; black or white. Pair... **\$3.50**

Women's 1-clasp Moeha Gloves, black or gray; silk lined, Pair... **\$1.50**

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Another Big Purchase and Sale of

Sample Jewelry

Worth Up to \$2.00, YOUR CHOICE

25c

3,500 pieces in the greatest sample purchase on record. Even better values than those which caused such sensational selling last week, when we closed out 2,000 pieces in a day.

No matter which pieces you buy you are getting Jewelry worth double and triple and more of the amount paid. The lot consists of:

Beauty Pins
Brooches
Bar Pins
Scarf Pins

Jet Pins
Real Cameo Pins
Jet Chains
Bead Necklaces
Lavaliers

Hat Pins
Waldemar Chains
Tie Clips
And hundreds of other beautiful styles.

Every article new and guaranteed, and worth up to \$2.00, at 25c. On Sale Bargain Booth No. 1—Main Aisle.

Remember, there is not an article in the lot worth less than 50c, so even if you are one of the very late afternoon shoppers you will be rewarded by procuring an "extreme bargain." But do not be disappointed if you do not find the \$1.50 and \$2.00 values, as the early buyers will naturally reap the benefit of complete assortments.

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A Special Sale of Hosiery

Women's \$1.00 79c

Black Silk Hose

Women's Good Heavy Quality Black Silk Hose, with reinforced sole, heel and toe. Heavy double garter top. Only 300 pairs, so be prompt. Regular \$1.00 quality at... **79c**

(3 pairs in a box, \$2.25.)

Women's Silk Lisle Hose, reinforced sole, heel and toe. Double garter tops. 3 pairs in a box at \$1.00, or, a pair... **35c**

Women's Medium-weight Black Silk Hose, reinforced sole, heel and toe. Double garter top. Our regular \$1.50 grade, 3 pairs for \$3.00, or, a pair... **\$1.25**